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Applicant:	Derek Van Der Kooy et al.	Art Unit:	1636
Serial No.:	09/333,248	Examiner:	Gerald G. Leffers, Jr.
Filed:	June 15, 1999	Customer No.:	21559
Title:	PHARMACEUTICALS CONTAINING RETINAL STEM CELLS		

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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND
INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191

Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 14, 2003, in which the Office finally rejected claims 5-9 of the above-captioned patent application.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the final rejection for three months, to and including October 14, 2003.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$165.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) for this Notice of Appeal.

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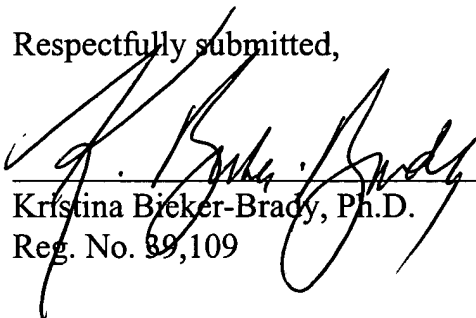
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